

Public Information Open House

Baker College 2800 Springport Rd. Jackson, MI

Tuesday, January 9, 2001 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.





Project Location

A segment of I-94 from M-60 on the east to Sargent Rd. to the west through Jackson

FACT SHEET

Existing Facility

Year of construction 1956

Number of interchanges - 8

• Number of bridges - 13

Project Purpose

 Plan for replacement of roadway and bridges based on modern engineering standards.

Plan for roadway capacity for future

traffic volume.

Existing Issues/Need

Bridge structure condition

Bridge clearance

Roadway capacity

Interchange geometrics

Interchange operations

Narrow center median and shoulder

Types of Improvements to be considered

Add travel lanes

Modernize interchanges

Improve median and shoulders

Improve mainline alignment in select locations

Project Start Date:

November 2000

Time Frame of Project:

18-24 months

Study Output:

Project Environmental Impact

Statement

• Select a plan for improving I-94

Plan for phasing improvements

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WHY ARE WE UNDERTAKING THIS PROJECT?

- The existing facility dates back to 1956, which is prior to present freeway design standards.
- Recently MDOT examined several issues (bridge structures) in the project corridor.
- This investigation suggested that some bridge structures may require future replacement.
- This finding led to an examination of a larger question...how do the construction of new bridges relate to I-94 mainline improvements.
- MDOT concluded that the challenges in the corridor were greater than just bridge issues.
- MDOT recommended that the I-94 corridor should be the subject of a comprehensive study of future improvements.





PROJECT LOCATION











3 Non-standard Interchange Geometrics

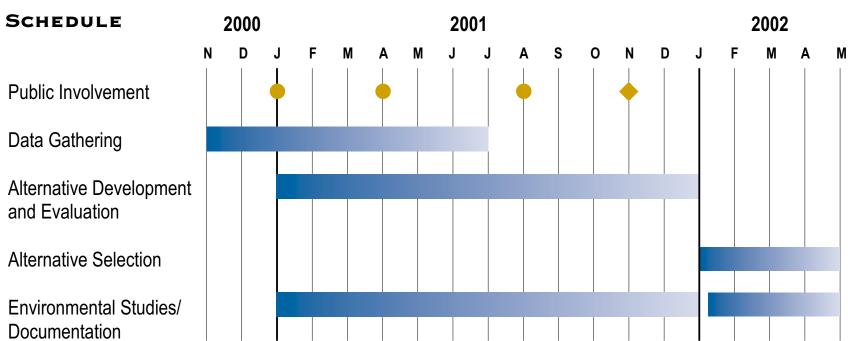
PRELIMINARY CORRIDOR ISSUES Point of Ending Brill Lake Rd. Coordinate Elm Ave. Interchange Improvements with Proposed Future Elm/Parnall Rd. Development Seymour Rd. Rock Outcrops Ann Arbor Rd. 0 Point of Springport Rd. McDill Rd. Beginning 127 0 0 3 Old Mine Shafts 0 Sensitive Real Estate and Community Issues Throughout Corridor Gilletts Lake Coordinate I-94 Environmentally Sensitive Issues Improvements with Airport Planning W. Michigan Ave. Coordinate Cooper St. Interchange Improvements with Jackson Downtown Development Proposals LEGEND Bridge Issues a) Bridges will require future reconstruction or major rehabilitation b) Non-standard under clearance c) Non-standard side clearance 2 Roadway Design Issues No median or median shoulder

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Please List Your Project Specific Issues on the Aerial



PROJECT



Final Design, Right-of-way Acquisition, Construction*

* The schedule for these activities will be determined as part of this project and MDOT system improvement strategies.







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